IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF SUMMERS COUNTY, WEST VIRGINIA

IN RE: Emergency Continuance of Summers County Grand Jury set for November 17, 2020

ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER

WHEREAS, staff in the offices of the Summers County Circuit Clerk have been exposed to Covid 19; and,

WHEREAS, pursuant to health department guidelines, staff is unable to participate in public proceedings, until after negative test results, and an appropriate period of quarantine, in order to prevent risk of further public exposure; and,

WHEREAS, not enough time has elapsed for testing and quarantine,

WHEREAS, the Circuit Clerk's Office does not currently have enough available staff to conduct a Grand Jury proceeding,

NOW Therefore, the session of the Summers County Grand Jury scheduled for November 17, 200, is hereby ORDERED continued to a later date, when staff is available. This future date will be set when there is available staff, and sufficient numbers of Grand Jurors, to properly conduct a Grand Jury proceeding.

A copy of this order shall be provided to the Summers County Commission, the Summers County Prosecuting Attorney, any other interested party, and to the West Virginia Supreme Court of Appeals.

Dated November 12, 2020.

ROBERT A. IRONS, CIRCUIT JUDGE